

BOUNDARY BREAKS

DID YOU KNOW?

Cooler Climate Reds are Just as Good!

- Cooler Climate Reds are lower in alcohol which makes them more food friendly!
- The Finger Lakes is a perfect climate to grow some of the world's best Cab Francs.
- Vineyards on the east side of Seneca Lake are in a microclimate called the "Banana Belt" due to warmer temperatures.

2016 Cabernet Sauvignon

WHAT MAKES OUR CABERNET SAUVIGNON SPECIAL

- We employ vineyard techniques that seek to achieve small berry size which yields sufficient color and structure, while exhibiting lots of fruit in the finished wine.
- The 2016 vintage was unusually warm we decided to make a single varietal Cabernet Sauvignon which leads to a wine with balanced fruit and structure.
- These specific vineyard practices enable us to produce uncommonly ripe fruit in a cool climate.

2016 VINTAGE NOTES

The Finger Lakes experienced an extended drought during July and August in 2016. This kept berry sizes small and resulted in a smaller yield. Due to the smaller berry size and concentrated juice, the wines from this year are outstanding. The reds, in particular, are the best since the last warm season in 2012.

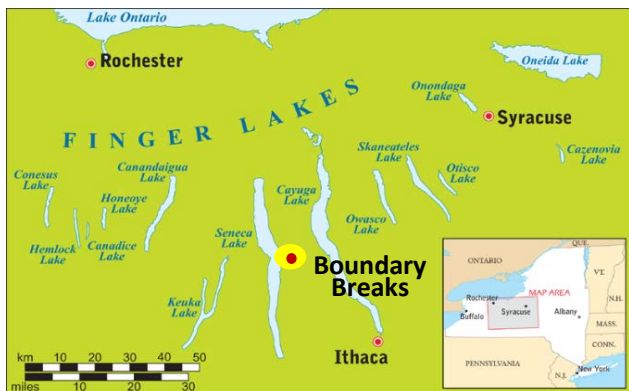
TECHNICAL NOTES

Country: USA
Region: New York
AVA: Finger Lakes
Varietal: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon
Harvest Date: Sept. 28th
Brix at Harvest: 24.0
Winemaker: David Breeden

Fermentation: : Conventional primary fermentation; aged 10 mos. in 2 y/o French Oak
Alcohol: 13.4%
Residual Sugar: 1.1g/l
Titrateable Acidity: 6.5g/l
pH: 3.56
Bottling Date: Sept 1, 2017
Cases Produced: 75; **SRP:** \$24.95

SELLING POINTS: CABERNET SAUVIGNON

It is rare to find a cooler climate Cabernet Sauvignon with as much character as this 2016 Boundary Breaks Cabernet. Bursting with red fruit and acidity this wine shows how a delicate Cabernet Sauvignon can be more approachable and food-friendly.



ABOUT US: Boundary Breaks focuses on cool-climate grape varieties--principally Riesling, Gewurztraminer and Cabernet Franc. We began planting vines in 2009 and released our first vintage in 2013. Our wines are sold throughout the US and abroad.

WHAT MAKES OUR WINES DISTINCTIVE: Our wines possess a powerful flavor profile. We achieve this in the challenging cool climate of the Finger Lakes by ensuring our fruit achieves a maximum level of ripeness in the vineyard. Our vineyards are located in a unique microclimate near the shoreline on the east side of Seneca Lake. The lake is more than 700 feet deep and keeps our site warmer during the coldest periods of winter. Our western-facing vineyard slopes also benefit from extended afternoon sun.